LISTING OF CLAIMS

1. (<u>original</u>) A method for forming an integrated seat assembly, comprising:

providing a seat;

supporting from said seat a plurality of independent electronic components; routing a single cable having a plurality of conductors into the seat, the cable supplying power for said independent electronic components; and

using an electronics distribution system forming a portion of said seat to receive power from said cable and to supply power to each of said independent electronic components.

- 2. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 1, further comprising using said cable to supply signals, as well as power, to at least one of said independent electronic components.
- 3. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 1, wherein routing a single cable comprises routing a ribbon cable having a plurality of conductors into said seat.
- 4. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 1, wherein supporting a plurality of independent components comprises supporting at least one of:

 a video display unit, a telephone and a personal control unit.
- 5. (<u>currently amended</u>) A method for forming an integrated seat assembly, comprising:

providing a seat;

supporting from said seat a plurality of independent (electronic components); routing a single cable having a plurality of conductors into said seat;

using a selected one of said conductors to directly supply power to at least one of said independent electronic components; and

interfacing said cable with a distribution subsystem supported from said seat; and using said distribution <u>subsystem</u> system to supply signals to at least one of said independent electronic components.

- 6. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, wherein using said cable comprises using a ribbon cable.
- 7. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, wherein supporting a plurality of independent electronic components comprises supporting a video display unit.
- 8. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, wherein supporting a plurality of independent electronic components comprises supporting a personal control unit.
- 9. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, further comprising interfacing said distribution subsystem with said independent electronic components via a fiber optic coupling.
- 10. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, further comprising interfacing said distribution subsystem with an audio interface.
- 11. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 5, further comprising interfacing said distribution subsystem with a telephone.
- 12. (<u>original</u>) A method for controlling electronic components located on a seat on a mobile platform, comprising:

routing a cable having a plurality of conductors along a leg portion of said seat; interfacing said cable with a distribution subsystem supported by said seat; and interfacing said distribution subsystem with at least one of said independent electronic components.

- 13. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, wherein interfacing said distribution subsystem comprises using said distribution subsystem to provide power to at least one of said electronic components.
- 14. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 13, further comprising using said distribution subsystem to provide signals to at least one of said electronic components.
- 15. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, wherein routing a cable comprises routing a ribbon cable.
- 16. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, wherein supplying power comprises supplying power to a video display unit.
- 17. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, wherein supplying power comprises supplying power to a personal control unit.
- 18. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, further comprising interfacing said distribution subsystem with an audio interface.
- 19. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, further comprising interfacing said distribution subsystem with a telephone.
- 20. (<u>original</u>) The method of claim 12, further comprising locating said distribution subsystem adjacent a seat portion of said seat.